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CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S ORDERS ON FORESTS AJMERE 1875.

COMPLIMENTARY

No. 1681 S, dated Mount Abo, 21st June 1875.

From—The Secy. to the Agent Govr. Genl. and Chief Commr. in the P. W. Department, Rajpootana.
To—The Secy. to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.

Sir,

The Officiating Chief Commissioner having early in the year considered it necessary to place all matters regarding Forest management, submission of Estimates, preparation of Budgets &c. in Ajmere and Mhairwarra on a systematic footing and the Forest Regulation having been received, caused full instructions on all these points to be drawn up for the future guidance of the Forest Department. These instructions were embodied in this Office No. 311 S. of the 5th February last to the address of the Co. issioner (*copy attached.*)

2. To this letter the Commissioner has replied in his No. 109 of 28th April last forwarding Proposals, Estimates &c., for the proceedings of the Department for the next five years. These proposals &c., have been finally dealt with in this Office No. 1575 S. of 11th current and whilst forwarding copy of both these letters for the information of His Excellency in Council, I am briefly to describe the arrangements that have been sanctioned by the Officiating Chief Commissioner and to ask for their approval.

3. In accordance with the course indicated by Para. 2 of your No. 198 of 19th February and your No. 357 of 22nd March last, the vacancy of "Reserved Forests" has been considered the most important object of Forest operations, and for this purpose the Commissioner, has proposed the taking up of 4 Forest Tracts in Ajmere, and 4 in Mhairwarra. Those in Ajmere are :—

	<i>Acres</i>
1st. The Sreenugger, and Beer Tracts containing	6,265.
2nd. The Nag Pahar Tract " "	2,660.
3rd. The Mohwa, Beer and Madar Hill Tract	4,356.
4th. The Tarraghur Tract; area not at present known.	

Those in Mhairwarra are :—

	<i>Acres.</i>
1st. The Chang Tract, containing 	2,341.
2nd. The Sheopoor " "	1,920.
3rd. The Belcawas " "	3,172.
4th. The Todghur " "	40,048.

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Of the Ajmere Tracts, the Officiating Chief Commissioner has approved of Nos. 1 and 2, and Declarations for acquiring the land under the Forest Regulation have been issued. The Declaration for No. 3 has been postponed, until information is received from the Commissioner, concerning the treatment of cultivated land of which there is rather a large proportionate area included in the waste. No. 4 is already Government property but its boundaries have not yet been accurately ascertained or surveyed; as soon as this is done, a Declaration will have to be published in order to bring it under the Forest Regulation.

Of the 4 Mhairwarra Tracts the Officiating Chief Commissioner has approved the acquisition; and Declarations have been published in the Local Gazette.

A Tracing is submitted showing the localities of the above mentioned 8 Reserved Forests, but the Officiating Chief Commissioner is obliged to admit that the word Forest in its ordinary meaning, is a misnomer as applied to these wastes; what is being done in Ajmere is not to preserve and grow timber trees, but to mark off great tracts on the denuded hills, in which it is intended to encourage the spread of jungle and low coppice. This is not a very ambitious project, but I think it worth the money which will be spent on it. After the States last season, Mr. Lyall has come to the conclusion that the State which he has seen, has the jungle been sides as in British Ajmere. And although the effects upon climate and water supply in anticipated from restoring the jungles, have been certain, that absolute denudation is a positive evil. As operations are confined to conservancy, in order to give the jungles a chance of revival, Mr. Lyall thinks the spent.

4. The next point to be attended to, was the retention of certain of land for permanent Plantations and Nurseries; of these the Comm. in his Para. 35 proposed to retain only 3: viz—

1. Shikast Mairi Plantation.
2. Beawur parade ground Nursery.
3. Dilwarra and Chahga Plantations.

No. 1, is Nuzool property, contains 11 acres, has a revenue of Rs. 100, at the present time, which is likely to increase with attention; it is in the neighbourhood of Ajmere.

No. 2, is Government land, area not given; the young trees raised will be of great service both for road and Forest planting, and the Plantation can be easily looked after. The site is a parade ground now mostly disused.

No. 3, contains 563 Beggas, is Nuzool property, and will be very useful for experimental purposes, and for forming belts of trees, shelter &c.,

5. The 8 Reserved Forest Tracts and these 3 plots for Plantations and Nurseries will for the present form the permanent charge of the Forest Department.

6. In addition to these, the Forest Department has hitherto had in its charge, several plots of land belonging to Government, and the Nuzool which it is not considered advantageous should be retained. Some of these plots, the Commissioner proposes to give back, after the ensuing rains, others to be retained until the trees belonging to the Forest Department are removed, and one Plantation to be returned at once.

7. The plots to be given back after the rains are mentioned in Para. 6 and those to be retained, until the Forest trees are removed, in Para. 7 of this Office No 1575 S. The Plantation to be given back at once is that of Nusserabad which was taken over from the Cantonment Committee, as an experimental Plantation, intended to act as a barrier against the wind prevalent at Nusserabad; the experiment has proved too costly to warrant its continuance. Mr. Lyall has therefore directed the Plantation to be returned 4 months after notice of such intention being intimated to the Committee. The past expenditure on this Plantation has been very heavy, and the Commissioner proposes to recover some portion of it from the Cantonment Committee, but his Mr. Lyall does not anticipate can be done.

8. I am now to turn to the Expenditure, past, by Para. 2 of your order of the 17th March last, the next 5 years, which is very clearly shown in the Statement of this Office, No. 1575 S. The first column gives the past expenditure on each specific Forest Plantation &c., the 2nd column, the proportion of general charges debited to each, and the 3rd the total past Expenditure on all Forest operations, which in aggregate amount to Rs. 63,511-8-2, the 4th column shows proposed expenditure during the next 5 years, the 5th, the proportion of charges debitable to each work, the 6th, the total for the next 5 years, all works amounts to Rs. 94,092, or an average Annual Expenditure of Rs. 18,819. The 7th and last column shows the grand total Expenditure on all Forest operations, from their commencement in the Province, to the end of the year 1879-80.

9. The Offg. Chief Commissioner has thought it better to have all Expenditure both past and to be incurred within the next five years included in each Estimate to facilitate reference, and to have all matters estimated in due form. These Estimates he has sanctioned, although it will be seen that several of them exceed the amount of Rupees 20,000, which as in the case of other Chief Commissionerships, has been taken as the limit of Chief Commissioner's power of sanction, but I am to explain that this excess caused by past expenditure over which Mr. Lyall had no control, and which was incurred

in days before the Forest Department was created, is nominal, so far as regards the overstepping of the limit of sanction; I am also to point out that the Rs. 40,000, for general charges has only been distributed *pro forma*, and in order to comply with the technical rules for preparing estimates, subject to future re-adjustment if necessary. There seemed to be no better way of arranging this charge, as it cannot be accurately forecasted. Re-adjustment will be requisite and will probably reduce all excess Estimates to within the Rs. 20,000, as no Estimates have as yet been submitted or sanctioned for either "the Madar Hill" or Sreenugger Reserved Forests

10. And with reference to these two last mentioned Forests, I am to remark that as no Expenditure has been included in the Statement for them, while some Expenditure certainly will be required, it will probably be necessary to increase somewhat the Annual Expenditure proposed in my Para. 8 viz. Rs. 18,819, possibly a grant of Rs. 20,000, annually might be made to cover all expenses.

11. I am to remark that every care has been taken in preparing these Estimates to keep the proposed Expenditure as low as possible. In Reserved Forests little but Conservancy has been provided for; some small Plantations and broad cast sowing only have been included.

In Plantations and Nurseries the Establishments for watering and care taking have been estimated as economically as possible.

12. In conclusion, I am to remark on the Estimates for Establishments both Temporary and Permanent. The former includes "Protective Establishment" which should appear under the Head "Permanent."

The Commissioner urged that this portion of the Establishment could not definitely be determined until operations were more decided, and proposed that one more year's experience should be allowed before finally settling on its permanent strength. This the Offg. Chief Commissioner also thought advisable, and therefore allowed of its being included under Head "Temporary" for this year only, and he hopes that this decision will be approved. The Estimate for this Establishment has therefore as mentioned in Para. 8 of this office No. 1575 S been passed for Rs. 845, per mensem.

13. The Estimate for the Permanent Establishment amounting to Rupees 650, per mensem, including pay of Assistant Conservator, Sub-Assistant Conservator and Office Establishment, is herewith forwarded for the formal sanction of His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

14. Mr. Lyall does not wish during his temporary tenure of the Chief Commissionership, to propose any radical changes, and in any event he would propose none for the current financial year 1875-76. But he takes this occasion of intimating his opinion, that whenever the measures for restoring the jungle upon the more important reserved wastes of Ajmere shall have

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been finally settled, and placed in working order, there will afterwards be hardly scope for a regular Forest Department in the District. The Reserved Tracts might be managed by the District Officers ; and on the part of the Forest Department an annual inspection would suffice. But this periodical inspection would be essential.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. G. CROMMELIN,

Secretary to Agent Govr.-Génl. and Chief Commr.

in the P. W. D. Rajpootana.

FORESTS, AJMERE 1875.

No. 162, dated Ajmere the 19th June 1875.

From—LESLIE S. SAUNDERS Esq., Commissioner Ajmere and Mhairwarra.

To—E. Mc. A. MOIR Esq. Assistant Conservator. of Forests Ajmere and Mhairwarra.

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to forward a copy of this office No 109 dated 28th April 1875 and of Secretary to the Chief Commissioner in the Public Works Department No. 1575 S. dated 11th Instant and to make the following remarks.

2. It will be noticed from the 2nd Para. of Secretary's letter, that out of the 4 Reserved Tracts as per margin, proposed to be acquired, the Chief Commissioner approves of the taking up of the first two, for the acquisition of which Declarations have been forwarded for publication in the *Local Gazette*, while the Declarations for the 3rd and 4th Tracts have been postponed until the information and particulars called for by the Chief Commissioner are furnished. With reference to the Mhowa Beer and Madar Hill Tract, I would request you to report fully as to the manner in which you intend to treat the cultivated and culturable land, and whether you can exclude the portion of the land lying close to it. You should also mention the amount of Revenue derived from the 800 acres of land to be acquired, and whether in the case of land being included within the Forest Boundaries you would allow the cultivation to continue.

With regard to the Taragarh Tract, I would request you to have its boundaries accurately demarcated and surveyed and the necessary Declaration submitted for the approval of the Chief Commissioner.

3. The Chief Commissioner having accorded his approval for permanently retaining the Plantations and Nursery as per margin, the Declarations for their acquisition under the Forest Regulation should be submitted.

4. The Chief Commissioner having concurred with me in the advisability of returning the Nusseerabad Plantation, on which a large outlay has already been incurred, without any corresponding benefit to be derived therefrom I would request you to give 4 months prior notice to the Cantonment Committee for returning this Plantation asking them to pay $\frac{2}{3}$ of the Expenditure.

An Estimate for the necessary Expenditure on the land including the total charges from 1st April to the date of its return to the Cantonment Committee should also be submitted.

5. The abandonment of the Hazari Bagh, Nachan Bao Plantation and Tracts round Beawur, excepting Chang and Dilwarra Beers having been approved of by the Chief Commissioner, the land should be returned to the District Committee after the rains, but the Committee should be informed of this decision at once.

1. Mohwa Beer Nursery.
2. Meer Shah Ali Do.
3. Shahjohani Plantation and Nursery.
4. Behee Chilla.

6. The Plantations and Nurseries as per margin should also be returned to the District Committee as soon as the trees belonging to the Forest Department are removed and other Nurseries formed for them.

7. Definite proposals for the Bari Nal Nursery and for the formation of any other Nursery required, should now be submitted.

8. The Temporary Establishment for Rs. 815, *per mensem* or Rs. 61 less than that proposed having been sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner, the Expenditure must be limited to the sanctioned extent.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

L. S. SAUNDERS,

Commissioner.

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RAJPOOTANA AGENCY P. W. D.

No. 1575 S. dated Mount Aboo 11th June 1875.

From—The Secretary to the Agent Governor General and Chief Commissioner in the P. W. Department, Rajpootana.

To—The Commissioner of Ajmere and Mhairwarra.

SIR,

I am directed by the Officiating Chief Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your No. 109 of 30th April last, on the subject of General Forest arrangements in Ajmere and Mhairwarra, and to communicate to you the following remarks and orders, on the different matters therein brought forward.

2. In the first place, I am to notice the proposal contained in your Para. 2 for taking up 4 Reserved Forest Tracts in Ajmere.

Taking up 4 Reserved Forest Tracts.

I. Sreenagar and Beer Tract.

To the taking up of this Tract the Officiating Chief Commissioner agrees and the necessary Declaration is herewith forwarded for publication in the Gazette.

II. The Nag Pahar Tract.

The Declaration for the acquisition of this Tract is also forwarded, as the Officiating Chief Commissioner quite approves of its being taken up.

III. Mohwa Beer and Madar Hill Tract.

In regard to this Tract, I am to remark that the Declaration is postponed until Mr. Lyall learns more precisely how it is intended to treat the cultivated and culturable land, which it appears amounts in all to about 800 Acres. The Officiating Chief Commissioner would be glad if this land or any large portion of it which lies compact can be excluded.

The Revenue now derived from these 800 acres should be mentioned, and it should be stated whether in the event of their inclusion within Forest Boundaries, it is intended to allow cultivation to continue and to spread.

IV. Taragurh Tract.

In your Paras. 27 and 29 you say that this land being already Government property, and its boundaries not accurately determined and surveyed, no Declaration has been submitted unless such Declaration be published the Forest Regulation cannot be applied in this Tract; the boundaries therefore should be definitely demarcated and surveyed as early as possible, and the necessary Declaration for the acquisition of the land under the Forest Regulation submitted for approval.

3. I am now to turn to your Para. 35 in the latter portion of which you propose to permanently retain the following.

Permanent Nurseries and Plantation Land to be acquired under Forest Regulation.

*I. Shikast Musjid Plantation.**II. Beawur Parade Ground Nursery.**III. Dilwarra and Chang Plantations.*

To this proposal the Officiating Chief Commissioner consents and I am to request that you will submit for approval the necessary Declarations for acquiring these plots of land under the Forest Regulation.

4. For the present then the following are the proposals for permanent Forest Tracts, Plantations and Nurseries, approved by the Officiating Chief Commissioner.

Forest Tracts.

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| 1. Chang Forest | } Dilwarra. | Declarations issued. |
| 2. Sheopura Do. | | |
| 3. Beeliawass Do. | | |
| 4. Todgurrh Do. | | |
| 5. Sreenagur and Beer Forest | } Ajmere. | Declaration now forwarded. |
| 6. Nag Pahar Do. | | Do. Do. Do. |
| 7. Mohwa Beer & Madar Hill Forest. | | „ postponed. |
| 8. Taragurrh Forest. | | „ to be submitted by Commr. |

Plantations.

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| 1. Shikast Musjid | } | Declarations to be submitted by Commr. |
| 2. Dilwarra and Chang. | | |

Nurseries.

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| 1. Beawur Parade ground. | Do. | Do. | Do. | Do. |
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5. The next point to be noticed is the proposals made by you for abandoning and giving back to the owners, several Plantations and Nurseries at present under the charge of the Forest Department. These propositions are treated of in the commencement of your Para. 35.

Your first proposal is to return at once to the Cantonment Committee, the Nusseerabad Plantation on which an expenditure of Rs. 10,607 has already been incurred by the Forest Department, 2/3rds of which in your Para. 17, you propose asking the Committee to refund but with no very sanguine hopes of success. The Officiating Chief Commissioner quite coincides with the advisability of returning this Plantation to the Committee, but considers that 4 months notice should be given before so doing. The Plantation would cost but little in the rains. An Estimate for the necessary Expenditure on this land should be submitted embracing all charges from 1st April to date of its return to the Committee. Mr. Lyall much fears that all the expenditure on this Plantation must be considered as lost as he does not anticipate any refund from the Cantonment Committee.

6. After the ensuing rains you propose to return to the District Committee.

1. The Hazaree Bagh Plantation.
2. Naehan Bao Plantation.

3. Tracts round Beawur except Chang and Dilwarra Beers.

This is approved and the land should be returned after the rains.

7. The undermentioned Plantations can also as recommended by you, be returned to the District Committee, when the Trees belonging to the Forest Department are removed and another Nursery has been formed for them.

1. Mohwa Beer Nursery.
2. Meer Shah Ali Do.
3. Shah Jahani Do. and Plantation.
4. Bebee Chilla.

I am to notice that no proposal for the formation of any other Nursery has been received, nor has any expenditure been proposed in the Statement contained in your Para. 10. The Barinal Nursery has been mentioned, but no definite proposal has been made concerning it.

8. The next point to be noticed is that of Establishment, Permanent and Temporary.

The Permanent Establishment as proposed by Mr. Moir, in Statement accompanying his No. 55 to your address amounts to Rs. 650 per mensem; this is approved of by the Officiating Chief Commissioner and will be forwarded for sanction of the Government of India. Office Establishment must be included under the Head "Permanent" as should "Protective Establishment," but Mr. Lyall has allowed the latter to be included under the Head "Temporary" for this year only, and will so inform the Government of India.

9. The proposed Temporary Establishment as per your Para. 7 amounts to Rs. 906 per mensem, but as the Nusseerabad Plantation is to be given up in 4 months, or say on the 1st October there will be only 7 months to provide for, or say 6 months, this would halve the monthly expenditure and would admit of a reduction of Rs. 61 per mensem reducing the total of Temporary Establishment to Rs. 845 per mensem and for this amount the estimate is sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner.

10. The Estimates specified in Statement included in your Para. 10 have been all approved and sanctioned by the Officiating Chief Commissioner, with addition of proportionate share of General charges for the next five years. The accompanying Statement shows how the amounts of these Estimates have been arrived at.

These General charges have only been distributed *pro forma*, subject to future redistribution if necessary, and Mr. Lyall is of opinion that the method adopted will give as accurate a result as could be expected in a five years forecast.

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11. It is noticed that no Estimates have been received for the Madar Hill Tract nor for the Sreenugar Tract and that the Estimates for the Mohwa Beer Plantation, the Mohwa Beer Nursery and the Meer Shah Ali Plantation and Meer Shah Ali Nursery will merge into the "Mohwa Beer Madar Hill" Reserved Forest Estimate when submitted.

12. From the total amount of these Estimates and the Statement accompanying, you will see that Mr. Lyall has quite approved of the amount of expenditure proposed in your Para. 35 for the next five years, *viz* ; Rupees 94,092 and the adoption of such a scale of expenditure will be recommended to the Government of India.

13. The matter of Budget Estimate &c., touched upon in your Para. 8 cannot be dealt with at present, as a revised Estimate has already been called for in this office No. 1266 S. dated 11th May 1875.

14. In conclusion, the Officiating Chief Commissioner wishes Mr. Moir to be told, that Mr. Lyall considers him to have prepared these Estimates in a very creditable manner. I am also to acknowledge the care which you, yourself have evidently bestowed upon the work of placing the Forest Conservancy of your Division upon a permanent working basis, and the attention which you have given to the complicated business of laying out a programme in accordance with the Departmental System.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your most obedient Servant.

A. G. CROMMELIN,

Secy. to the Agent Govr. Genl. & Chief Commr. in the P. W. D.

Rajpootana.

 DECLARATION.

The Waste and Hilly lands below described being required for the purpose of State Forests are hereby under the orders of the Chief Commissioner taken up for such purposes and the present Declaration is made and published under the Ajmere Forest Regulation 1874, Section 3.

No. I.

Sreenugar and Beer Tract.

A tract of land comprising an area of about 6,265 acres demarcated by boundaries set up by the Forest Department and belonging according to a Map and Statement prepared by the Settlement Department to the villages of Sreenugar, Palran, Beer, Godah, Khorawas, Godli, Kherce, Nulukha and Burla, all situated in the District of Ajmere.

This tract is bounded on the North by lands belonging to the villages of Sreenuggur and Nulukha, on the East by lands belonging to the villages of Khoree, and Godli, on the South by lands belonging to the villages of Bóer and Palran, and on the West by lands belonging to the Burla, Goodah and Khorawass.

No. II.

Nagh Pahar Tract.

A tract of land comprising an area of about 2,660 acres and belonging to the Nuzool fund and to the villages of Kotra, Hatee Khera, and Leela Saolee also including the Phokur and Narool Baghs and all other scattered trees situated within the boundaries described below.

This tract is bounded on the North by the wall of the old Nagh Pahar Fort, and by a line laid down on the Settlement map, stretching from the corner of the bastion near the gate called Lukhmi Poll down to the base of the hill, on the East by a line of 26 boundary pillars set up by the Forests Department running along the base of the hill and entered on the Settlement map, on the South by a line of Boundary pillars separating the Nagh Pahar from the village lands of Kurekree and Pushkur, and on the West by the base of the Nagh Pahar as laid down in the Settlement map including the Pushkur Bagh, the village land of Leela Saoree part of which is demarcated by 5 stone pillars and excluding the lands of Mama Deo, Jumni Kund, Pushkur Kund and Guai Mookh all situated to the West of the Nagh Pahar.

By Order

A. G. CROMMELIN,

*Secy. to the Agent Govr. Genl. & Chief Commr. in the P. W. D.**Rajpootana.*

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STATEMENT shewing the Total amounts of Forest Esti

Name of Forest.					Actual Past Ex- penditure.			Share of Past General Charges.		
Chang Forest Mhairwarra	...	...	...	...	2,209	"	11	2,543	1	4
Sheopoorā Do. Do.	...	...	...	...	2,048	14	2	2,358	11	2
Beeliawas Do. Do.	...	...	...	...	1,120	11	3	1,290	2	7
Todgurh Do. Do.	...	...	...	...	1,475	13	"	2,274	9	2
Nusseerabad Plantation	...	...	...	...	4,930	15	10	5,676	9	8
Muddar Hill Tract— <i>Not at present taken up therefore no expenditure incurred,</i>										
Mohwa Beer Experimental Plantations	...	...	...	...	2,877	7	4	3,312	7	4
Mohwa Beer Nursery	...	..	...	...	"	"	"	"	"	"
Meer Shah Ali Experimental Plantation	...	...	...	...	"	"	"	"	"	"
Meer Shah Ali Nursery	...	...	...	...	1,261	1	11	1,451	13	"
Hazaree Bagh Plantation...	...	...	...	...	1,220	1	9	1,404	9	7
Nachun Bao Plantation...	...	...	...	...	239	6	10	275	10	1
Shah Jehani Nursery	...	...	...	...	605	14	2	697	8	"
Shah Jehani Plantation	...	...	...	...	"	"	"	"	"	"
Shikast Musjid Experimental Plantation	...	...	...	...	202	3	"	232	12	2
Beebee Chilla Nursery	...	...	...	...	29	"	"	33	8	10
Beawur Parade Ground Nursery...	...	...	...	...	938	5	7	1,080	3	8
Dilwarra Chang and other lands around Beawr.	...	...	...	...	198	13	1	228	14	3
Nagh Pahar Tract.	...	...	...	...	4,790	13	4	5,515	4	4
Taragurh Tract	...	...	...	...	4,874	15	3	5,612	1	7
Sreenuggur Tract— <i>Not at present taken up therefore no expenditure incurred,</i>										
TOTAL RUPEES.					29,023	9	5	34,487	14	9

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mates arrived at and Sanctioned by Chief Commissioner.

Total of Past Expenditure.			Assistant Conser- vator's proposed Expenditure dur- ing the next 5 years without General charges.			Proportionate Share of 40,000			Total Expendi- ture for five years.			Grand total Entire Expendi- ture.		
4,752	2	3	6,320	12	"	4,673	"	"	10,993	12	"	15,745	14	3
4,407	9	4	6,142	12	"	4,541	"	"	10,683	12	"	15,091	5	4
2,410	13	10	5,578	12	"	4,124	"	"	9,702	12	"	12,113	9	10
4,250	6	2	10,700	8	"	7,961	"	"	18,727	8	"	22,977	14	2
10,607	9	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	10,607	9	6
6,189	14	8	1,018	"	"	752	"	"	1,770	"	"	7,959	14	8
"	"	"	803	8	"	593	"	"	1,396	8	"	1,396	8	"
"	"	"	214	"	"	157	"	"	371	"	"	371	"	"
2,712	14	11	939	"	"	695	"	"	1,634	"	"	4,346	14	11
2,624	11	4	74	"	"	54	"	"	128	"	"	2,752	11	4
515	"	11	33	"	"	23	"	"	50	"	"	571	"	11
1,303	6	2	682	8	"	503	"	"	1,185	8	"	2,488	14	2
"	"	"	48	"	"	34	"	"	82	"	"	82	"	"
434	15	2	427	"	"	333	"	"	760	"	"	1,194	15	2
62	8	10	912	8	"	673	"	"	1,585	8	"	1,648	"	10
2,018	9	3	2,637	"	"	1,950	"	"	4,587	"	"	6,605	9	3
427	11	4	2,584	12	"	1,910	"	"	4,494	12	"	4,922	7	4
10,306	1	8	6,630	14	"	4,902	"	"	11,532	14	"	21,838	15	8
10,487	"	10	8,280	"	"	6,122	"	"	14,402	"	"	24,889	"	10
63,511	8		54,092	14	"	40,000	"	"	94,092	14	"	1,57,604	6	2

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No. 109, dated Ajmere, the 28th April 1875.

From—The Commissioner, Ajmere and Mhairwarra.

To—The Secy., to the Chief Commissioner, in the P. W. Department, Rajpootana.

SIR,

WITH reference to your No. 311 S, dated 5th February 1875, I have the honor to forward for the information and orders of Chief Commissioner, copies of the communications as per margin from the Assistant Conservator of Forests, with my own remarks thereon.

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| 1— | Assistant Conservator's No 29, dated 16th April 1875 with enclosures |
| 2— | Do. Do No 30, dated 17th April 1875, with enclosures |
| 3— | Do. Do No 45, dated 24th April 1875, with enclosures |
| 4— | Do. Do No 49, dated 26th April 1875, with enclosures |
| 5— | Do. Do No 53, dated 28th April 1875, with enclosures |
| 6— | Do. Do No 54, dated 28th April 1875, with enclosures |
| 7— | Do. Do No 55, dated 28th April 1875, with enclosures |
| 8— | Do. Do No 56, dated 28th April 1875, with enclosures |

ON TAKING UP LAND.

2. Already with this office No. 58, dated 1st February 1875, propositions were made for taking up certain tracts in Mhairwarra which were approved of in your No. 1059 S, dated 15th April 1875, and the Declarations for the four tracts as per margin have been published in the *Rajpootana Gazette*, dated 24th April 1875, I now have the honor to forward a copy, of Assistant Conservator's No. 45, dated 24th April 1875, proposing three more tracts, as per margin, to be taken up in Ajmere Proper, at the same time draft Declarations for taking them up are also submitted, with a map showing the general situation of all Forest Tracts; it may be possible to get two or three more Forest tracts on hills around Ajmere, after the return of the Assistant Conservator from leave.

MHAIRWARRA FORESTS.

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| 1. | Chang Forest | No. 1. |
| 2. | Sheopura Forest | No. 2. |
| 3. | Belawa Forest | No. 3. |
| 4. | Todguri Forest | No. 4. |

AJMERE FORESTS.

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| 1. | Sreenugger and Beer Forest. |
| 2. | Nagh Pahar Forest |
| 3. | Mohwa Beer and Madar Hill Forest. |

3. The Sreenugger and Beer Forest is about the largest tract we may expect to obtain in Ajmere; it is a portion of the range of hills running between Ajmere and Nusseerabad, it is a hilly waste at present denuded of trees, but which conservation will probably re-cover, in, from 10 to 20 years; part of it is Jagheer, and some opposition may be expected in taking it up, but if land for Forests is to be obtained, it is one of those tracts which can be most conveniently assumed: I recommend possession being assumed and the Declaration being issued. No estimate has been submitted for future expenditure on this tract, as Assistant Conservator says he has not examined it sufficiently, to know what its requirements will be; this will be submitted after it has been determined to take it up.

4. The Nagh Pahar belongs principally to the Nuzool, but a small portion of land in other villages is also included for convenience sake. The Mohwa Beer belongs to the Nuzool; it should be taken up as well as the Nagh Pahar, on the same terms as other lands are assumed, with reference

to the division of profits. The Madar Hill however belongs to the neighbouring villages, and is included with the Mohwa Beer, to make the tract of a convenient size and shape for conservation. Mr. Moir has entered so fully into the reasons for taking up these lands that it does not appear necessary, to state anything further, than that I generally concur with him, in his views. With reference to Para. 32 I would recommend that no path should be closed without special report on the subject. When the Madar Hill comes to be taken up, the boundaries may require some rectification, if it be found that not enough land is left for the grazing of the city cattle; as at present informed I believe the boundaries proposed are correct, but in each of the Mhairwarra Forests, slight alterations after taking up the land had to be made. No estimate of future expenditure on this tract will be submitted until it is determined if it is to be taken up.

5. Besides these three Forests, there is a tract of land, known as the Taragurh tract, which has been declared by the Chief Commissioner to be Government property, this has never been made over to the Nuzool, but has from the first been in the possession of the Forest Department, so I have not considered it necessary to have a Declaration prepared for taking up this land; we shall thus have 4 Forests in Ajmere and 4 in Mhairwarra to start with. Estimates for works in each of these tracts have been prepared and reviewed by me hereafter.

ESTABLISHMENTS—TEMPORARY AND PERMANENT.

6. At present, the Assistant Conservator does not wish to consider any Establishment, but his own office, and that of Sub-Assistant Conservator's as Permanent; even in these cases it is possible that a reduction may be effected after 3 or 4 years by the removal of the Assistant Conservator when the work of reboisement has been well started, consequently, the Assistant Conservator though complying with orders contained in Para. 5 of your letter under reply by sending up a scale for sanction, has also entered his office, &c., in the list of Temporary Establishment and has left it to the Chief Commissioner to decide under which head these charges are to be met. His pay and the pay of the Sub-Assistant Conservator as being gazetted Officers, sanctioned by Government of India will in any case come under Permanent Establishment. His letter as per margin shows the Permanent Establishment subject to the above reservation, he proposed,

No. 55, dated 28th April 1875. the amount of Rs. 650 per mensem, for which it may appear necessary to the Chief Commissioner for the sanction of the Government of India to be obtained.

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7. The Assistant Conservator's No. 30, dated 17th April 1875, con-				tains the proposals for the Temporary
Forest No. 1 Chang Conservancy	...	43	0 0	Establishment for each Forest tract,
Forest No. 2 Hatoon Conservancy	...	43	0 0	and amounts to Rs. 906 per mensem;
Forest No. 3 Beleawas Conservancy	...	37	0 0	detail is given in the margin for each
Forest No. 4 Barakhan Conservancy	...	70	0 0	tract, if however the Chief Commis-
Nusserabad Plantation	...	122	0 0	sioner desires, the Protective Estab-
Mohwa Beer Plantation Conservancy	...	49	0 0	lishment proposed for those tracts in
Mohwa Beer Nursery	...	12	0 0	which the Declarations have issued to
Meer Shah Ali experimental Plantation	...	21	0 0	be shown as Permanent Establish-
Meer Shah Ali Nursery	...	12	0 0	ment, they might be transferred from
Hazaree Bagh Plantation	...	6	0 0	the detail, leaving gardeners and
Nachna Bao Plantation.	...	7	0 0	water carriers in the Temporary Es-
Shahjehanes Nursery	...	12	0 0	tablishment; but I think it would be
Shahjehanes Plantation	...	12	0 0	better to leave the whole Permanent
Shikast Masjid Plantation	...	6	0 0	Establishment to be settled once for all, a year hence when Forest matters
Beebeechilla Nursery	...	12	0 0	have somewhat further progressed and I would recommend that the Tempo-
Beawur Parado ground Nursery	...	32	0 0	rary Establishment should again receive sanction of Chief Commissioner for
Dilwara and Chang Beers	...	6	0 0	another period of 12 months, or for those tracts which it may be determined
Office	...	150	0 0	to abandon till such abandonment is completed.
General Conservancy and Plantation	...	80	0 0	
Taragurh Conservancy	...	61	0 0	
Nugh Pahar Conservancy	...	110	0 0	
TOTAL,		...	906 0 0	

 BUDGET ESTIMATES.

8. The Budget Estimate for the year 1875-76, was submitted with this Office, No. 255, dated 2nd October 1874, and has probably been sanctioned by the Government of India, as a letter of credit for the first quarter's expenditure has been received from the Comptroller General, and the letter of Government of India, No. 159, dated 13th February 1875, received with your No. 507 S, dated 28th February 1875, speaks of a review of the Budget Estimate for 1875-76, though it does not clearly state the Budget for that year has been passed; it is still intended to work on and within the limits of that Budget; Forms No. 1 and 2 ordered to be prepared in Paras. 8 and 10 of your letter under reply are however herewith submitted with a copy of Assistant Conservator's letter No. 55, dated 28th April 1875.

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9. I also submit a copy of Assistant Conservator's No. 49, dated 26th April giving a Statement of all

PARTICULARS.	AMOUNT.
Salaries of Gazetted Officers, ...	17,737 0 0
Travelling allowances of Do. ...	5,373 11 4
Pay of Office Establishment ...	2,969 10 6
Travelling allowance of Do. ...	114 7 6
Pay of General Subordinate Estab ^t ...	708 6 8
Contingencies ...	2,066 0 0
Purchase of tents ...	799 0 0
Collecting seeds ...	1,798 11 7
Tools and Plant ...	768 14 3
Watering Apparatus ...	562 14 4
Chuprasses belts, plates &c. ...	80 3 0
Buildings ...	73 0 6
Purchase of Cattle Bullocks ...	385 8 0
Feed of Do. Do. ...	7 9 0
Surveys ...	168 12 10
Purchase and repairs of Carts ...	175 8 6
Purchase and carriage of plants from Shaharunpore ...	208 12 0
Sundries ...	92 1 0
TOTAL Rs	31,038 3 11

general charges from the commencement of the Forest Administration of this District up to 31st March 1875; it amounts to Rs. 34,088-3-11, general heads of detail are given in the margin,* these general charges have been divided over each tract, at present in possession of the Forest Officer in proportion to the actual expenditure that has been incurred on each tract. This is not by any means, a fair mode of distribution, but it is the only one

that is not altogether arbitrary in its character: for some time after the Assistant Conservator came into the District he had no land to look after, and even since then, if the Forest Regulation had been published earlier, these preliminary charges would never have occurred to this extent, and I would strongly recommend that these charges should be entirely written off, to profit and loss. In obedience however with instructions contained in Para. 15 of your letter under reply as per margin* the proportionate

* This Estimate should be for 5 years operations and should be for all expenditure already incurred in each tract.

expenditure on these general charges for the past has been added to each estimate, after the total expenditure on each tract has been made up. The general charges for the next 5 years operations have been entirely omitted from future calculation, as until the number of tracts to be taken up and the Establishment to be employed therein, are finally determined upon, it is impossible to throw the amount correctly over the Estimates.

10. With Assistant Conservator's No. 29, dated 16th April 1875 and No. 53, dated 28th April, Estimates of detailed expenditure for works to be undertaken in the next 5 years in each of the Tracts, Nurseries, and Experimental Plantations are herewith submitted for sanction, amounting to Rs. 29,023-9-5 for past expenditure, Rs. 34,487-14-9 for general charges, and Rs. 58,124-14, for future expenditure without general charges. The whole of these Estimates are as directed at the end of Para. 15 thrown into one general abstract for convenience of reference.

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Name of Forests.	Actual past Expenditure.			Share of past general Charges.			Total of Past Expenditure.			Assistant Conservator's Proposed Ex- penditure during the next 5 years without gene- ral Charges.		
1. Chang Forest Mhairwarra ...	2,200	0	11	2,543	1	4	4,752	2	3	6,320	12	0
2. Sheopura Forest Do. ...	2,048	14	2	2,358	11	2	4,407	9	4	6,142	12	0
3. Belawas Forest Do. ...	1,120	11	3	1,290	2	7	2,110	13	10	5,578	12	0
4. Todgurb Forest Do. ...	1,175	13	0	1,774	9	2	4,250	6	2	10,760	8	0
5. Nusseorabad Plantation ...	4,930	15	10	5,676	9	5	10,607	9	6	4,032	0	0
6. Madar Hill Tract*	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7. { Mohwa Beer Experimental Plantation ...	2,877	7	4	3,312	7	4	6,189	14	8	1,018	0	0
{ Mohwa Beer Nursery ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	803	8	0
8. { Meer Shah Ali Experimental Plantation ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	214	0	0
{ Meer Shah Ali Nursery ...	1,261	1	11	1,451	18	0	2,712	14	11	939	0	0
9. Hazaree Bagh Plantation ...	1,220	1	0	1,404	9	7	2,624	11	4	74	0	0
10. Nachun Bao Plantation ...	239	6	10	275	10	1	515	0	11	33	0	0
11. { Shahjane Nursery ...	605	14	2	697	8	0	1,303	6	2	682	8	0
{ Shahjane Plantation ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	48	0	0
12. Shikast Masjid Experimental Plantation, ...	202	3	0	232	12	2	434	15	2	427	0	0
13. Beehee Chilla Nursery ...	29	0	0	33	8	10	62	8	10	912	8	0
14. Beawur Parade ground Nursery ...	938	5	7	1,080	3	8	2,018	9	3	2,687	0	0
15. Dilwara Chang and other lands around Beawur ...	198	13	1	228	14	3	427	11	4	2,684	12	0
16. Nagh Pahar Tract ...	4,790	13	4	5,615	4	4	10,306	1	8	6,670	14	0
17. Taragarh Tract ...	4,874	15	3	5,612	1	7	10,487	0	10	8,280	0	0
18. Sreehuggur Tract *	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL Rs. ...	20,023	9	5	31,487	14	9	63,511	8	2	58,124	14	0

* Not at present taken up and consequently no Expenditure incurred.

* Not at present taken up and consequently no Expenditure incurred.

11. The Assistant Conservator has given at length the reasons for taking up each Forest Tract, Plantation or Nursery, and I proceed to state my views in the same order.

12. The four tracts in Mhairwarra have been approved and Declarations have been issued, and therefore it does not appear that these tracts require any comment from me, as to the necessity of keeping them up.

The reason for taking up the four tracts in Ajmere has also been given at length in Paras. 3, 4 and 5 of this letter.

13. *The Chang Forest*, consists of 2,341 acres, is favorably situated with respect to the line of Railway and the town of Beawur, so that Forest produce will have a ready sale. The expenditure on this plot up to 31st March 1875 has been Rupees 2,208-14-8 exclusive of the proportionate share of general charges, which amount to Rs. 2,543-1-4; the Assistant Conservator now proposes to spend Rs. 6,320-12-0 more in the next 5 years, without adding general charges. This expenditure is principally on account of fencing, conservation, and a little planting in suitable places. The charges seem, moderate and I recommend his estimate for sanction.

14. *Sheopura Forest*. This tract covers an area of 1,920 acres. The expenditure hitherto incurred on this tract amounts to Rs. 2,048-14-2, general charges amounting to Rs. 2,358-11-2; the Assistant Conservator proposes to lay out Rs. 6,142-12-0 during the next 5 years on this Forest, principally in fencing, conserving, pruning and a small amount in planting, and watering; I recommend this estimate for sanction.

15. *Belearcas Forest.* This is also a large tract of 3,172 acres in area. The past expenditure has been Rs. 1,120-11-3, the general charges have been Rs. 1290-2-7 and Rs. 5578-12-0 are proposed to be spent in the next 5 years, consisting principally of conserving, fire protection, and constructing a nursery. The situation of this tract is reported not to be very favourable, revenue is however expected from Fruit trees to be grown, though not for several years to come; I recommend the Assistant Conservator's estimate for sanction.

16. *Todghur Forest.* This tract comprises an area of about 40,000 acres; a Declaration for taking it up has already issued under Chief Commissioner's sanction. The past expenditure on this tract has been Rs. 1,475-13-0 and Rs. 2774-9-2 for general charges. The proposed outlay during the next 5 years is Rs. 10,766-8-0 consisting principally of conservancy, construction of fire lines, purchases of patches of Baranec land situated in the Forest, and planting out such land when suitable. I also recommend this estimate for sanction; this tract is the most valuable one in our possession and the outlay on it will eventually repay itself.

17. *Nusscerabad Plantation.* This Plantation was commenced on the understanding that the Military Authorities were to give up 1000 acres, the Commander-in-Chief of the Bombay army agreed to this: 100 acres were only taken over in the first instance and I hear there is now some demur to giving up the remainder.

The expenditure at present on this small spot of 100 acres has been Rs. 4,930-15-10 with proportionate share of general charges amounting to Rs. 5676-9-8 and the Assistant Conservator proposes to spend Rs. 4,032 more in the next 5 years without any general charges. The land at present in our possession is not good and the cost of maintaining this Plantation unless the whole area was given us at once is out of all proportion to the benefits to be derived from it, except in a climatic point of view, for the good of the residents, of the Cantonment; I propose therefore that it should be abandoned at once, and that the Cantonment Committee be asked to take over charge and pay $\frac{2}{3}$ of the past expenditure, a proposal which I am however bound to say that I don't think the Committee would consent to, and under these circumstances it will be necessary to write off the amount spent to profit and loss, as I cannot recommend such a large future expenditure on this small and unprofitable tract. If however the Chief Commissioner desires to continue expenditure on this Plantation, it will be necessary to determine as reported in this office No. 104 dated 22nd April 1875, under what head it is to be charged—whether as a natural Forest or an artificial one: Mr. Moir has prepared alternative estimates which are herewith submitted.

18. *Madur Hill Tract.* The Assistant Conservator has sent in a separate estimate for the Mohwa Boor and Meer Shah Aly which is already in his possession; these estimates will however eventually merge in the Ma-

dar Hill tract, if it be determined to issue a Declaration as proposed in Assistant Conservator's No. 45 dated 24th April 1875.

19. *Mohwa Beer Experimental Tract*—is a plot of 967 acres which has been under the Local Fund for several past years. The revenue from this tract for the last 3 years amounted to Rs. 1,468-6-0 which has been paid into the Nuzool Fund.

The expenditure on this tract has hitherto been Rs. 2,877--7--4 without any general charges, and the Assistant Conservator proposes to spend Rs. 1,821-8-0 more in the next 5 years, without adding general charges. If taken up under the Regulation, at least a proportion of the future revenue will be credited to the Forest Department, and this small plot may prove profitable.

20. *Meer Shah Aly Plantation*—only consists of about 39 acres of Nuzool land ; it will form part of the tract proposed to be taken up under the name of the Mohwa Beer and Madar Hill Tract.

The past expenditure has been only Rs. 1,261-1-11 with general charges Rs. 2,712-14-11, and future proposed expenditure for 5 years is Rs. 939 for Nursery, and Rs. 214 for plantation, or Rs. 1,153 in all, without general charges ; I recommend Assistant Conservator's proposal for sanction if the Madar Hill Tract is taken up.

21. *Hazaroe Bagh Plantation*. This plot comprises an area of about 97 acres of Nuzool land in which the Ajmere College is built ; on the skirt of the Taragurh Hill is a Plantation of *keekur* trees ; the past expenditure has been Rs. 1,220-1-9. The Assistant Conservator only proposed to spend Rs. 74 more on it to look after the trees till after the rains and then to abandon it, as it has not been found suitable ground for a Forest Plantation, and will probably be required for building purposes ; I recommend that this plot be abandoned as a Forest, and returned to the Nuzool.

22. *Nachun Bao*.—Is a small plot of 6 acres started as an experimental Plantation, when it was intended to take up land in the plains in the immediate vicinity, but as most of that land is *baranee* it cannot be taken up under the Forest Regulation as finally passed. Including a proportion of general charges, Rs. 515-0-11 has been spent here ; Assistant Conservator proposes to continue expenditure on it only till the rains arrive, and then to abandon it to the Nuzool : in this proposal I concur.

23. *Shah Jahani Plantation and Nursery*—is a small plot of land covering 11 acres situated on the opposite side of the Ana Saugar Lake.

The past expenditure amounts to Rs. 605-14-2 incurred on Nursery, exclusive of general charges which amount to Rs. 697-8-0. The proposed expenditure for 5 years is Rs. 682-8-0 and Rs. 48-0-0 for Plantation to be

chiefly incurred in pay of malees and cost of seeds and tools. The Assistant Conservator reports that the land is very salt, and much damage is annually done by frost.

24. *Shikust Musjid Experimental Plantation*. This plot was also under the charge of the Nuzool Fund, it contains an area of about 11 acres and is now held by the Forest Department.

The past expenditure on this plot amounts to Rs. 202-3-0 while the proportionate share of the general charges comes to Rs. 232-12-2. The Assistant Conservator proposes to lay out Rs. 427 in the next 5 years which will chiefly be devoted to the pay of malees, sowing, pruning and protecting trees from frost.

The present revenue from this tract is about Rs. 100-0-0 per annum and the Assistant Conservator hopes to obtain an annual increase thereon. I recommend his proposal for sanction.

25. *Beebee Chilla Nursery*. This is a small plot of 9 acres, and I would recommend its being kept up for 2 years till the Bari-nal Nursery is properly started, but it cannot be taken up under the Regulation. The expenditure at present on this plot has been Rs. 29-0-0 exclusive of general charges which amount to Rs. 33-8-10 and Rs. 912-8-0 are proposed to be spent during the next 5 years; the expenditure mainly consists in paying the malees attending the Nursery, and the charges for protecting trees from frost.

26. *Beawur Parade Ground*. This small piece of land is situated close to Beawur, it is Government land.

The past expenditure on this plot amounts to Rs. 938-5-7, the general charges being Rs. 1080-3-8. The expenditure proposed for the next 5 years is Rs. 2,637. and I would recommend this plot being taken up if necessary, under the Forest Regulation. The main items of expenditure being on account of pay of malees, charges for protecting trees from frost, feed of bullocks, and certain repairs.

27. *Dilwara Chang and other Tracts*. These consist of nine plots covering an area of 225 acres. The 2 first Beers though of small areas as per margin might be taken up, and utilized in forming belts of trees for shelter and experimental purposes, the other plots being returned to the Nuzool. The past expenditure on those plots amount to Rs. 198-13-1 the proportionate share of general charges being Rs. 228-14-3. The expenditure proposed for the next 5 years consists principally of the pay of Chuprasces, of watering establishment, cost of fencing, seeds, and protection of trees from frost, amounting to Rs. 2584-12-0.

	<i>Beeghas</i>	<i>Biswas</i>
1. Dilwara Beer	418	11.
2. Lange „	114	18.

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28. *Nag Pahar Tract.* This tract consists of an area of 2,575 acres according to present Settlement. The statement accompanying the estimate of this tract shows the past expenditure to be Rs. 4,790-13-4 with a proportion of general charges amounting to Rs. 5,515-4-4.

The estimate for future expenditure amounts to Rs. 6,630-14-0 which the Assistant Conservator of Forests proposes to lay out on demarcation and conservancy, and I recommend his proposal for sanction.

29. *Taragurh Tract.* The Taragurh plantation as mentioned in Para. 5 of this letter, happens to be Government land and this is the reason for assuming it as a Forest tract. No Declaration has been submitted, firstly, because the boundaries are not as yet definitely fixed nor has it been surveyed, or the area properly ascertained; secondly, because the land has never been made over to the Nuzool but has been in possession of the Forest Department ever since it was declared to be Government property.

The expenditure hitherto incurred on this tract has been Rs. 4,874-15-3, with Rs. 5,612-1-7 as the proportion of general charges. The estimate for future Expenditure has been submitted by the Assistant Conservator, and amounts to Rs. 8,280, which will chiefly be devoted to Conservancy, Demarcation, and Nursery.

30. With reference to Para. 20, the Nurseries as per margin* are cultivated land belonging to the Nuzool, and do not come under the provisions of the Forest Regulation, as they are neither hilly, nor waste tracts, and therefore cannot be taken up. They have been managed for the Nuzool by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, and might now be returned to the District Committee, as recommended by Assistant Conservator in his No. 54 dated 28th April 1875. He wishes to keep them for a year, so as to be able to plant out the trees in the Nurseries, and to prepare another Nursery. On this subject a further report, and estimate for a new Nursery, should be submitted by Assistant Conservator, immediately on his return from leave.

* Mohwa Beer Nursery.
Meer Shahaly Nursery.
Shahjahanee Nursery.
Beebee Chilla Nursery.

31. I recommend that the following tracts shall be returned to the Cantonment, or District Committee, and all future expenditure thereon on the part of the Forest Department shall absolutely cease, from the date they are so returned.

Nusseerabad Plantation.

Mohwa Beer Nursery.

Meer Shah Aly Nursery.

Hazaree Bagh.

Nachun Bao.

Shah Jahanee Plantation and Nursery.

Beebee Chilla.

Tracts around Beawour with exception of Chang and Dihwara Beers.

32. The expenditure that has been incurred on these Nurseries, or experimental Plantations, has been by no means money wasted, much useful information has been obtained, the money has undoubtedly benefitted the Gardens and Nurseries, and it becomes a question whether the Nuzool should not be called upon to pay back to Government a portion of any permanent improvements, effected to their property; if the Chief Commissioner thinks this should be done, a Sub-Committee might be formed to consider what amount should be so paid, on the return of the Assistant Conservator of Forests from leave.

33. With regard to Paras 12, 13, and 14 of your letter under reply, it appears to me that the main Forest operations of this District should be included under the term "Reboisement." "Conservancy" is only another name for the same thing; except in some of the Mhairwarra Forests we take over denuded Hill sides with the intention of covering them with jungle and scrub, and I would therefore submit that the word "Reboisement" more accurately describes the work to be done than Conservation, as conservation implies there is something to conserve. In these reserved tracts, I only propose to plant out special selected sites, which from their local peculiarities may hold out, hopes of success. These patches are small in extent and scattered at distances, and only a very moderate expenditure on such works has been proposed in the Estimates now submitted. I have several times stated my opinion that hand watering, or planting of any large area, is too expensive to be attempted, and the cost of the Nussereabad Plantation bears me out in this view, I therefore desire to leave it for the Chief Commissioner to decide whether this expenditure is to be classed under the head of "Conservation", or "Reboisement."

34. In compliance with Para. 18, all expenditure has been shown as *extraordinary*; I have the honor to refer you to para 18 of Assistant Conservator's No. 55 dated 28th April 1875 with reference to Para. 21, in which he reports that there are no items under ordinary expenditure.

The estimates have all been prepared in the forms given in Para. 88,

* Mhowa Beer experimental Tract.

Ditto Plantation.

Meer Shah Ali experimental Plantation.

Hazari Bagh.

Nachan Bow.

Shahjehan Nursery.

Shikist Musjid

Rebee Chilla Nursery.

Beawur Parade ground.

Dilwara Ohang and other Tracts.

Resolution $\frac{1}{99}$ or that in Appendix II as the

amount exceeds or does not exceed Rs. 5,000,

accordingly the estimates in the margin* which do not exceed Rs. 5,000, have been

prepared in the latter form, but some of them may subsequently form part of the Madar Hill

Tract, and they will then require to be recast.

35. To sum up, according to my proposals, the following tracts or gardens now in possession, should be immediately returned.

The Nussereabad Plantation—to the Cantonment Committee at once.

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The Hazaree Bagh, Nachun Bao, } To the District Committee di-
and Tracts around Beawur with exception } rectly after the rains.
of the Chang and Dilwara Beers.

Mohwa Beer Nursery }
Meer Shah Ali Do. } To the District Committee as
Shah Jahanee Plantation and Nursery } soon as the trees belonging to
Becbee Chilla } the Forest Department have

been planted out, and another Nursery has been formed from them. The following Forests, or Plantations, only will remain permanently in the hands of the Forest Officer, though they may subsequently be increased, by taking up one more tract in Mhairwarra, and two or three more Tracts in Ajmere, as proposed in this office No. 3133, dated 11th December 1872 to the Settlement Officer, a copy of which was forwarded to the Assistant Conservator, with this office No. 3134, dated 11th idem :—

1. Chang Forest.
2. Sheopura Do.
3. Beolcawas Do.
4. Todgurh Do.
5. Srinagur Tract.
6. Nagh Pahar Do.
7. Mohwa Beer and Madar Hill Tract.
8. Taragurh Tract.
9. Shikust Musjid.
10. Beawur Parade ground and Nursery.
11. Dilwara and Chang Plantation, and perhaps, one more Tract in Mhairwarra, and two more in Ajmere.

The expenditure which I propose for the next 5 years on these Tracts will be the same as that proposed by Assistant Conservator, with the exception of the expenditure on the Nusseorabad Plantation. To this may be added as general charges say Rs. 8,000 per annum, to provide for the pay of the Supervising Establishment, which in 5 years will amount to Rs. 40,000 more, I therefore recommend that the sum of Rs. 94,092 to be spread over 5 years should be passed, for expenditure on Forests in Ajmere, if more Tracts are eventually taken up, there may be a slightly increased demand, but it seems probable that there will *per contra* be some saving on charges, and possibly an increase in Revenue.

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36. I would commend to the Chief Commissioner's notice, the care bestowed by Mr. Moir in preparing these Estimates, as well as the general consideration and forethought bestowed by him on this work, which has been carefully, thoughtfully, and thoroughly prepared, and he is I would submit deserving of praise. In the terms of your No. 984 S, dated 8th April 1875, I have sanctioned his availing himself of his privilege leave from tomorrow.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

LESLIE S. SAUNDERS,

Commissioner.

PROPOSALS AND ORDERS ON FOREST MATTERS DURING 1876.

No. 316, dated 28th July 1876.

From—E. MC. A. MOTIE Esq., Asst. Conservator, of Forests Ajmere and Mhairwarra,
To—L. S. SAUNDERS Esq., Commissioner Ajmere and Mhairwarra.

SIR,

WITH reference to your No. 163 dated 27th June 1876, forwarding Secretary to Chief Commissioner No. 1544 S, I have the honor to state that I have consulted with the Deputy Commissioner and now beg to submit a revised Budget Estimate for the current year along with lists of proposed Permanent and Temporary Establishments, also Revised Estimates for current and following years up to 31st March 1880.

2. *Revised Budget for 1876-77.*—The amounts sanctioned under major Heads A. and B. in Government of India No. 416 dated 26th May are respectively 12,000 and it will be observed that no change is proposed in these allotments, as they seem ample for the current year's work.

3. The proposed, allotments under major Heading A. stand thus, which will probably form the figures of the Regular Estimate for 1876-77, when the new Budget is submitted.

A III 1. Demarcation	...	...	...	Rs. 502
A III 3. Surveys	...	...	...	„ 550
A IV 1 a. Fire Protection	...	...	...	„ 770
A IV 1 b. Fencing ...	...	...	...	„ 4,236
A IV 1 d. Planting &c.	...	...	...	„ 4,580
A VII 1. Roads and Paths	...	...	...	„ 138
A VII 2. Ranger's Huts &c.	...	...	...	„ 880
A VII 3. Compensation for land	...	...	...	„ 70
A VIII 3 Keep and feed of Cattle	...	...	...	„ 100
A IX 2. Tools &c.	...	...	...	„ 174

Total under A, 12,000

4. A III 1. and 3.—The amounts entered under these two Budget Headings amount to 1,052 Rs. which sums will all be required as it is most important to complete the Survey and Demarcation of the different tracts before every other work.

5. A IV 1 a.—The amount entered under Fire Conservancy has been increased from 500 to 770 which will be necessary as the Government of India is desirous that all fires should be rigorously excluded from the reserves, and the usual precautions cannot be taken for a less sum.

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6. During the past year the fire protective arrangements cost Rs. 680-12-10 and have been attended with considerable success. Only two unimportant conflagrations having occurred which were, however, speedily extinguished.

7. A IV 1 *b*.—The amount *viz.* 3,000 Rs. sanctioned by the Government of India for this work is not sufficient, as the Forest Officers have been informed that the efficient protection of the reserves from cattle, which can only be done by constructing fences &c. is the first thing they have got to attend to.

8. The sooner therefore that these fences are constructed the better, but this cannot, of course, be done without the necessary funds.

9. A IV 1 *d*, *Plantation work*.—The estimates for the charges occurring under this Heading during the current year have been reduced as much as possible, and a sum amounting to not less than 4,580 will probably suffice, which is however 1,549 less than the total amount for the current year, already sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner in the 5 years' estimates.

10. A VII 1. to A IX 2.—The total amount sanctioned by the Government of India under these Budget Headings is much in excess of the actual requirements and has therefore been reduced from, 3,200 to 1,362 which will suffice for the current year's work.

11. The proposed allotments under major Head B. stand thus :—

B I 2.	Pay of Control Officers	...	...	Rs.	5,100
B I 3.	Pay of Protective Establishment	...	..		3,308
B I 4.	Office Establishment	...	..		1,086
B II 3 and 4.	Travelling allowances	...	..		1,256
B III	Contingencies	...	..		650

Total under B, Rs. 12,000

12. B I 2.—The amount under this Heading is made up thus :—

Pay of Assistant Conservator from March to end of August				
6 Months @ 450	...	...	...	Rs. 2,700
Pay of Sub-Assistant Conservator for whole year, 12 months @ 200...				
...	...	...	...	Rs. 2,400
Total Rs.				5,100

13. Although the Assistant Conservator has received orders to proceed to the Punjab on the 1st September still his pay for August and also for the month of March are chargeable to Ajmere which makes up six months.

14. Allowance has been made for the increase of pay to the Sub-Assistant Conservator for 12 months in the event of his promotion to 1st grade Sub-Assistant Conservator being sanctioned.

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15. *B I 3.*—The efficient protection of the Forset reserves being the principal duty imposed on the Forest Department in this district this cannot of course be effected without the aid of a proper protective Establishment so that great reductions under this heading are not desirable at least for the present.

16. By the exercise of the greatest economy however it has been possible to reduce the total expenditure to 3,308 during the current year which allows of an increase of 19 per month only from the 1st September consequent on the taking up of 3 new Forest tracts.

17. *B I 4.*—It is proposed to retain the same scale of Office Establishment till the 1st September when the monthly charge can be reduced from 150 to 131. This scale is considered sufficient for all Office purposes both of the Deputy Commissioner and Sub Assistant Conservator of Forests.

18. *B II 2 and 4.*—The amount sanctioned by the Government of India under this Heading is not sufficient as the Sub Assistant Conservator will be entitled to a higher rate of Travelling allowance for the future as well as the past months in the event of his promotion being sanctioned.

19. *B III.*—The charges under Contingencies have been reduced to a minimum and amount to 650 only which will probably suffice.

20. *Permanent Protective Establishment.*—In accordance with the proposals made in Para. 16 of Secretary to Chief Commissioner's Note a revised scale of Permanent Protective Establishment has been prepared.

21. The Establishment it is now proposed to maintain consists of 5 Forest Jamadars and 33 Rangers which is the least number possible to entertain with a due regard to effective Conservancy arrangements.

22. This scale allows, 1 Ranger for every 1,200 to 1,500 acres of reserved Forest but no exact rule can be laid down in the case of Ajmore and Mhairwarra as reserves situated near villages and towns require more rangers for protection than those situated at a distance or protected by fences or natural boundaries.

23. It will also be observed that this scale allows 9 Rangers only for the protection of the new Forest tracts from the 1st September when it is expected they will be obtained possession of, and placed under Conservancy restrictions.

24. Some slight reductions have been found possible at some of the Reserves which have now been fenced in places most subject to the inroads of cattle and where the neighbouring villagers are beginning to become accustomed to some extent to Forest restrictions.

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25. The distribution of the Jamadars has been so arranged that their supervision and inspection will be the most effective possible. At present their duties are more numerous than they will afterwards be as they are obliged to attend to the construction of fences, chowkeys and other works.

26. *Office Establishment.*—The Permanent Establishment it is proposed to retain for Office purposes consists of :—

1. Head Clerk for Deputy Commissioner's Office.

1. Office Chuprassi Ditto.

1. Moonshi @ 40 for the Office of Sub Assistant Conservator.

2. Chuprassis for Ditto. Ditto.

27. The Secretary to Chief Commissioner remarks in Para. 12 of his Note that the pay of the Moonshi is not high, but as he travels about a good deal with Sub Assistant Conservator and consequently draws travelling allowance the amount entered is considered sufficient.

28. *Temporary Establishment.*—The Temporary Establishment of Malces and Bhistees to be met from A IV 1 d; amounts to 185 per month only, which is the least possible Establishment which can be entertained in order to maintain the trees already planted and provide for nursery supervision.

29. In addition to the Malce and Bhistees Establishment a charge of 15 per month on account of general Temporary Establishment has been entered. This charge being connected with the general working of all the Reserves will of course be chargeable proportionably to each estimate in the same manner as the general charges under B.

30. *Revised Estimates for current year 1876-77.*—The accompanying Statement No. 1 shows at a glance how the different estimates for the current year have been modified in order to bring the expenditure within the Budget allotments.

31. It will also be remarked that it is proposed to cancel the following sanctioned Estimates as they merge into and have been included in the Estimate for the Mohwa and Madar Hill tract

1st. Mohwa Plantation.

2nd. Ditto. Nursery.

3rd. Meer Shah Ali Plantation.

4th. Ditto. Nursery.

32. The Estimates for Beebee Chilla and Shahjaneer Nurseries can also be cancelled after the close of 1876-77 as they also merge into the Estimate for the New Forest Nursery to be submitted shortly.

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33. In examining the columns of sanctioned and proposed amounts it will be observed that with one or two exceptions these amounts are less than those already sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner in the 5 years' Estimates for which transfers the sanction of the Local Government is solicited as the charges have become necessary owing to unforeseen causes and recent orders.

34. *Proposed Estimates.*—The amounts placed under the different headings of proposed Estimates are those entered in the Estimates for the remaining tracts for the current year already prepared but the submission of which has been delayed owing to pressure of office work.

35. *Statement of Revised and proposed Estimates for 5 years ending March 1880.* The accompanying Statement No. 2 shows in one sheet the total proposed expenditure on all Forest works for the 5 years ending March 1880 and includes all sanctioned and proposed Estimates, also general charges.

36. The total saving proposed on the already sanctioned Estimates amounts to 15,799-10-9 during the 5 years, and the total increase proposed on account of expenditure connected with the 5 tracts marginally noted and the new Forest Nursery amounts to 20,512-11-8 so that the actual increase required only amounts to 4,713-0-11.

Mohwa and Madar Hill tract.
Sreenuggur tract.
Rajore tract.
Borwar tract.
Ans Pahar tract.

This increase it may be observed is less than that estimated in Para. 10 of Secretary to Chief Commissioner No. 1681 dated 21st June 1875 to the Secretary to Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.

37. The reductions in the sanctioned Estimates have principally been effected by omitting and reducing several items such as compensation for land, sowing, planting and watering expenditure, pruning operations &c.,

38. The Secretary to Chief Commissioner in his letter to the Government of India above referred to proposes an annual expenditure of 20,000 but has apparently not observed that this expenditure has not been distributed equally in the framed Estimates over the 5 years, so that it is the average which must be taken.

39 This difference is accounted for by the fact that the cost of constructing fences, huts for Rangers &c., which works must evidently be executed before the reserves can be effectually protected, have been entered in the Estimates during the first three years, so that they decrease from the 1st towards the 5th year.

40 The amounts required for the 5 years will therefore stand thus, which exceeds by 4,907-9-10 the amount proposed by the Secretary to Chief

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Commissioner an explanation of which circumstance will be found in Paras. 43 and 44.

Amount ACTUALLY SPENT DURING 1875-76	27,346	1	10
Amount proposed for 1876-77	24,000	„	„
Do. Ditto. 1877-78	19,479	12	„
Do. Ditto. 1878-79	17,820	12	„
Do. Ditto. 1879-80	16,261	„	„
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GRAND TOTAL Rs ...	104,907	9	10

41. The Estimate it will be observed includes during the next three years an annual charge of 7,819 for general charges, which amount does not include the pay of the Protective Establishment chargeable to each Estimate. This seems not to have been remarked in Para. 17 of Secretary to Chief Commissioner's Note on the Forest Budget.

42. These general charges are made up thus.—Pay of Sub Assistant Conservator for 12 months @ 200 2,400-0-0

Pay of Assistant Conservator for
3 months each year @ 150 1,350-0-0

TOTAL Rs ... 3,750-0-0

Pay of Office Establishment on proposed
Scale of Rs 131 per month, 131 × 12 1,572-0-0

Pay of General Protective Establishment
of Jamadars @ Rs 26 per month 26 × 12 312 0-0

Travelling allowance of Sub Asst. Consr.
for 9 months @ Rs 80 per month. 720-0-0

Travelling allowance of Assistant Con-
servator for 3 months @ Rs 150 450-0-0

Travelling allowance of Office Establishment. 125-0-0

Contingencies per annum ... 650-0-0

General charges met from Temporary
Establishment under A IV (d) @ Rs 20
per month, 20 × 12 240-0-0

GRAND TOTAL Rs ... 7,819-0-0

43 The charges include it will be observed the Pay and Travelling allowance of one 1st grade Assistant Conservator for three months during each year, which will amount in three years to Rs 5,400.

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44 This expenditure has been provided for in connection with the orders contained in Para 2 of Secretary to Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce No. 414 dated 23rd May 1876, in which it is stated that an Assistant Conservator of Forests will be employed at Ajmere for a period of 3 months during each year, and although no mention is made of how his pay is to be charged, it is presumed that the expenditure will be chargeable to the Province in which he is employed.

45. In the case of this expenditure not being chargeable to Ajmere then the amount required for the 5 years will be less than 1,00,000. In any case it is not probable that the 1,00,000 will be exceeded as a saving of 1,000 Rs per annum may almost be counted upon, as the Estimates still allow a considerable margin, and reduction in Establishment may be possible when the new tracts are properly fenced.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

E. Mc. A. MOIR,

Assistant Conservator of Forests.

STATEMENT Showing amounts sanctioned and proposed under the various

Budget headings.	SANCTIONED.											
	CHANG.		HUTTOON.		BILKINWAS.		TODGUPH.		MOHWA DEER AND MUDAR HILL.		MOHWA AND MELT SHA ALLA NURSERY.	
	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.
A III 1. ...	71	0	160	0	120	...	...	...	...	65	...	...
A III 3. ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
A III 1 a. ...	...	...	...	...	100	80	255	650	...	...	...	...
" d. ...	1,202	400	842	268	0	0	0	400	0	800	...	...
" d. viz ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	340	...
Mallee and Bhistees ..	141	72	141	72	111	81	111	72	76	312	...	...
Sowing and planting ...	120 12	100	87 12	100	327 8	0	650	150	0	25	...	...
Wells and Nadees ...	...	...	...	...	200	0	100	...	...	...	...	...
Sundries ...	71 1	28	71 4	28	106 6	10	162	28	...	17	...	...
A VII 1 ..	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	...
" 2 :	30	10	30	10	130	50	90	80	10	150	...	...
" 3 ...	...	...	...	...	500	...	500	...	...	...	...	...
A VIII 1 ..	...	...	...	...	11	...	11	...	...	...	...	...
" 3 ...	21	...	21	...	21	...	21	...	8	...	...	...
A IX 2 ...	11	12	12	12	12	12	24	24	...	12	12	...
B I B	372	320	372	260	372	356	768	716	81	168	...	...
	2,050	912	1,770	1,450	2,060	508	2,738	2,220	178	1,519	352	...

Budget headings for 1876-77 according to revised Budget.

ESTIMATES.

SHALJAHANCE NURSERY.		SHAFKUST MUSJID.		BERED CHILLA.		BEIWAR NURSERY.		DELWARA.		NAGH PANAR.		TARAGURH.		TOTAL.	
Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount Sanctioned.	Amount proposed.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	354	65
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	40	405	770
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	390	460	460	...	...	2,531	3,464
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	0	0	...	...	310	0
96	42	72	72	144	17	384	396	108	0	252	324	552	288	2,200	1,751
0	0	10	10	0	...	0	100	500	80	237 8	100	381 4	225	2,324 12	890
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	...	...	...	300	70
32 8	8	3	3	22	...	38	26	108 8	...	121 12	120	161 4	37	905	317
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37 8	38	37 8	138
...	...	...	...	...	...	30	30	10	10	201	201	20	20	554	564
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	48	48	...	...	...	...	24	24	176	72
12	...	...	...	12	...	12	12	...	...	12	12	24	24	144	120
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	72	312	276	300	258	2,052	2,426
140 8	50	85	85	178	17	512	712	798 8	568	1,599 4	1,502	1,550	951	14,011 4	10,617

STATEMENT showing amounts sanctioned and proposed under the various

Budget headings.	PROPOSED											
	BROUGHT FORWARD RUPEES.		SREENUGGUR TRACT.		DORWAR TRACT.		ANUS PAHAR.		RAJOSER.		NEW NURSERY.	
	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.
A III 1.	354	65		102		178 8		24		62 8		...
" 3. ... ..	...	...		...		...		...		...		...
A IV 1 a.	405	770		...		...		...		...		...
" b.	2,531	3,454		700		...		...		...		72
" d. viz	340	...		...		...		...		...		...
Malices and Bhishtas...	2,260	1,751		56		...		...		...		115
Sowing and planting ...	2,321 12	890		350		...		...		...		183
Wells and Nadees ...	300	70		150		...		...		...		300
Sundries	905	317		120		...		...		...		62
A VII 1	37 8	138		...		...		...		...		...
" 2	554	561		200		...		...		...		100
" 3	1,007	...		...		...		...		...		70
A VIII 1	28	...		...		...		...		...		...
" 3	176	72		...		...		...		...		28
A IX 2	141	120		12		0		6		...		30
B I 2 ... ..	"	...		...		...		...		...		...
" 3	2,652	2,126		198		132		90		78		...
" 4 ... ..	"	"		...		...		...		...		...
B II 2 .. ..	"	"		...		...		...		...		...
" 4 .. ..	"	"		...		...		...		...		...
B III 1 ... ..	"	"		...		...		...		...		...
" 2 ... ..	"	"		...		...		...		...		...
" 3 ... ..	"	"		...		...		...		...		...
" 4 ... ..	"	"		...		...		...		...		...
" 5 .. ..	"	"		...		...		...		...		...
	14,011	4,10,617	...	1,888	...	316 8		106		140 8		960

Budget headings for 1876-77 according to revised Budget.

ESTIMATES.					
GENERAL.		TOTAL.		TOTAL OF SANCTIONED AND PROPOSED ESTIMATE.	
Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.	Amount sanctioned.	Amount proposed.
	..		437	354	502
	550		550	...	550
	...		...	405	770
	...		772	2,531	4,236
	...		..	340	...
	216		387	2,260	2,138
	...		533	2,324 12	1,423
	...		450	300	520
	...		182	905	499
	...		...	37 8	138
	16		316	554	880
	...		70	1,000	70
	...		...	28	...
	...		28	176	100
	...		54	144	174
	5,100		5,100	...	5,100
	378		882	2,652	3,308
	1,686		1,686	...	1,686
	1,136		1,136	...	1,136
	120		120	...	120
	50		50	...	50
	386		386	...	386
	84		84	...	84
	120		120	...	120
	10		10	..	10

	9,852		13,353	14,011 4	24,000

The amount of second last column is the sum of all sanctioned Estimates only and does not include Proposed and general charges.
This accounts for the difference between this and the amount entered in Budget Estimate for 1876-77.

E. Mc. A. MOIR,
Assistant Conservator of Forests.

Chief Commissioner's No. 16395 of 19 June 1875.

Extract from Department of Go- vernment of India.		Office to which the Proposition refers.	NATURE OF CHARGES.						PROPO	
No.	Date		Present Scale.			Proposed Scale			Permanent.	
									Increase P month.	Decrease P month.
			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
		Forest Office Ajmere and Mhairwaria.								
		1. Head Clerk.	60	....	1. Head Clerk in Deputy Commis- sioner's Office.	70	....	10-0-0		
		1. Moonshee ...	35	....	1. Mooushee for the Office of Sub As- sistant Conserva- tor.	40	....	5-0-0		
		1. Moonshee ...	25	....	Nil.	...	....	...	25-0-0	
		1. Duffree ...	10	....	Ditto.	...	....	...	10-0-0	
		2. Chuprassis @ Rs. 7 & 1 @ 6.	20	1. Chuprassi with De- puty Commis- sioner's Office and 2 with the Sub As- sistant Conserva- tor @ Rs. 7 each.	21	1-0-0		
		TOTAL Rs. ...	150		131	16-0-0	35-0-0	
					DEDUCT INCREASE ...				16-0-0	
					NET DECREASE ...				19-0-0	

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		NATURE OF CHARGES						PROPO-	
		Present.			Proposed Scale.			Permanent.	
No.	Date		Rs.	A. P.		Rs.	A. P.	Increase 1 st month.	Decrease 2 ^d month.
			Rs.	A. P.		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
		CHANG TRACT.							
		1 Jemadar ...	10	0 0	1 Jemadar ...	12	0 0	2-0-0	
		3 Rangers ...	21	0 0	2 Rangers ...	14	0 0		7-0-0
		HUTTOON TRACT.							
		1 Jemadar ...	10	0 0	N7.	0	0 0		10-0-0
		3 Rangers ...	21	0 0	2 Rangers ...	14	0 0		7-0-0
		DELEWAR.							
		1 Jemadar ...	10	0 0	1 Jemadar ...	12	0 0	2-0-0	
		3 Rangers ...	21	0 0	2 Rangers @ 7 & 1 @ 6	20	0 0		1-0-0
		TONGERH.							
		1 Jemadar ...	15	0 0	1 Jemadar @ 15 ...	15	0 0		
		7 Rangers ...	49	0 0	6 Rangers ...	42	0 0		7-0-0
		MORWA BEER AND MADAR HILL.							
		1 Ranger ...	7	0 0	1 Ranger ...	8	0 0	1-0-0	
					1 Do.	7	0 0	7-0-0	
					1 Do.	6	0 0	6-0-0	
		DELWARA & CHANG BEERS.							
		1 Ranger ...	6	0 0	1 Ranger ...	6	0 0		
		NAGH PAHAR.							
		2 Rangers ...	14	0 0	2 Rangers ...	14	0 0		
		2 Do. ...	12	0 0	1 Do. ...	6	0 0		6-0-0
		<i>Carried forward</i>	196	0 0		176	0 0	18-0-0	38-0-0

SITATION.				Causal or Extraor- dinary.	Grounds of Proposition.	Local Government's recommendation.	ORDERS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.		
Temporary.							Department.	Financial Department.	
Increase per month.		Decrease per month.						Remarks.	Orders.
Period.	Rs. A. P.	Period.	Rs. A. P.						
					<p>This Jemadar to look after Borwar tract in addition to the Chang tract and the tract being now fenced, 1 ranger may be reduced.</p> <p>The tract having been newly fenced the services of 1 Jemadar and ranger can be dispensed with.</p> <p>This Jemadar to look after Ans Pahar and Shoe-poorra tracts as well, which are not far from each other.</p> <p>A decrease of 1 ranger is proposed, portions of the tract having been fenced &c.,</p> <p>This Establishment is the minimum that can be entertained.</p> <p>No change proposed.</p> <p>A portion of this tract being fenced the services of 1 ranger may be dispensed with.</p>				

Extract from Department of Go- vernment of India		Office to which the Proposition refers.	NATURE OF CHARGES.						Propo	
No.	Date		Present Scale.			Proposed Scale			Permanent.	
			Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Increase 1 st month	Decrease 1 st month
									Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
		Forest Department Ajmere and Mhairwarra.	Brought forward...	196	...		176	...	18-0-0	38-0-0
			TARAGHUR TRACT.							
			1. Ranger ...	7	...	2. Rangers ...	14	...	7-0-0	
			3. Do. ...	18	...	1. Do. ...	6	...	...	12-0-0
			SREENUGGER AND BEER TRACT ...							
				12	...	1. Ranger ...	8	...	8-0-0	
			2 Rangers @ 6 ...			1. Do. ...	7	...	1-0-0	
						1. Do. ...	6	...		
			RAJOSLEE.							
			Nil ...	...	...	1. Ranger ...	7	...	7-0-0	
						1. Do. ...	6	...	6-0-0	
			BORWAR.							
			Nil ...	...	...	2. Rangers ...	14	...	14-0-0	
						1. Do. ...	6	...	6-0-0	
			ANS PAHAR.							
			Nil ...	...	...	2. Rangers ...	14	...	14-0-0	
			AJMERE DISTRICT GENERAL.							
			1. Jemadar ...	14	...	1. Jemadar ...	14	...		
			1. Ranger ...	6	...	Nil ...	...	...		6-0-0
			BEAWAR DISTRICT GENERAL.							
			1. Jemadar ...	12	...	1. Jemadar ...	12	...		
			1 Ranger ...	6	...	Nil ...	...	...		6-0-0
			TOTAL Rs. ...	271			290	...	81-0-0	62-0-0
						DEDUCT DECREASE ...			62-0-0	
						NET INCREASE ...			19-0-0	

SITTON				Casual or Extraor- dinary.	Grounds of Proposition.	Local Government's recommendation.	ORDERS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.		
Temporary.							Depart- ment.	Financial Department.	
Increase per month.		Decrease per month.					Remarks.	Remarks.	Orders.
Period.	Rs. A. P.	Period.	Rs. A. P.						
					<p>This tract having been subject to conservancy restrictions for some time and fenced in some places one ranger can be dispensed with.</p> <p>This establishment is the minimum.</p> <p>This being a new tract the services of 2 rangers will be necessary.</p> <p>This being a new tract the services of 3 rangers will be necessary at first.</p> <p>This being a new tract 2 rangers at least will be required.</p> <p>This Jemadar to be in charge of all Forest plots in the Ajmere District, which he will visit in rotation, and report.</p> <p>In charge of Beawar Plantation and Nursery, District road planting, Jait- gunh &c.,</p>				

Extract from Department of Go- vernment of India.		Office to which the Proposition refers.	NATURE OF CHARGES						PROPO-			
No.	Date		Present Scale.	Rs.	A.	P.	Proposed Scale.	Rs.	A.	P.	Permanent.	
											Increase P month.	Decrease P month.

SITATION				Casual or Extraor- dinary.	Grounds of Proposition.	Local Government recommendation.	ORDERS OF THE GOVERNMENT INDIA.			
Temporary.							Department.	Financial Department.		
Increase per month.		Decrease per month.						Remarks.	Remarks.	Orders.
Period.	Rs. A. P.	Period.	Rs. A. P.							
...	...	6	6 0 0							
...	...	6	6 0 0							
6							
6							
6							
6							
6	4 0 0							
...	...	6	6 0 0							
...	...	6	12 0 0							
...	...	6	12 0 0							
6							
...	...	6	12 0 0							
6	2 0 0							
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6							
...	...	6	1 0 0							
...	6 0 0	...	55 0 0							

Extract from Department of Government of India.		Office to which the Proposition refers.	NATURE OF CHARGES.									PROPO	
No.	Date		Present Scale.	Rs.	A.	P.	Proposed Scale.	Rs.	A.	P.	Permanent.		
											Increase P. Month.	Decrease P. Month.	
													Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Chief Commissioner's No. 1659 S of 19th June 1875.		Forest Department Ajmere and Mhairwara.	<i>Brought forward,</i>	168	0	0		119	0	0			
			TARAGHUR TRACT.										
			6 Bhistees ...	36	0	0	4 Bhistees ...	24	0	0			
			SREENUGGUR TRACT.										
			<i>Nil.</i>				1 Do. ...	8	0	0			
			FOREST NURSERY.										
			<i>Nil.</i>				1 Chowdhree ...	7	0	0			
							1 Mallee ...	6	0	0			
							1 Do. ...	4	0	0			
							Extra pay to Beebee Chilla Chowdhree	2	0	0			
			GENERAL.										
			1 Chowdhree ...	16	0	0	<i>Nil.</i>	0	0	0			
			1 Do. ...	12	0	0	"	0	0	0			
			1 Do. ...	11	0	0	"	0	0	0			
							1 Storekeeper ...	12	0	0			
							Smith & Reigur ...	3	0	0			
				243	0	0		185	0	0			
							DEDUCT INCREASE ...						
							NET DECREASE ..						

Assistant Conservator's Office,
Ajmere and Mhairwara
28th July 1876.

SITATION				Casual or Extraordinary.	Grounds of proposition.	Local Government recommendation.	ORDERS OF THE GOVERNMENT INDIA.		
Temporary.							Depart- ment.	Financial Department.	
Increase per month.		Decrease per month.					Remarks.	Remarks.	Orders.
Period.	Rs. A. P.	Period.	Rs. A. P.						
	6 0 0		55 0 0						
		6	12 0 0						
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6	7 0 0						
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		6	16 0 0						
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			48 0 0						
			58 0 0						

E. MC. A. MOIR,

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CHAPTER I.

The monsoon of the year under report was below the average as will be evident from the following comparative table :—

			1896.	1897.	1898.
Karauli City	...	...	17'31.	25'05.	23'42.
Jerota	...	...	18'59.	27'34.	17'88.
Machilpur	...	...	22'59.	25'32.	21'08.
Mandrail	...	...	21'90.	27'89.	19'30.
Utgir	...	...	„	24'81.	16'76.

SEASON, CROP
AND GENERAL
HEALTH.

But the rainfall was timely and well-distributed. Consequently no disastrous result was produced owing to the deficiency in rainfall. The outturn of crops was on the whole fair. Taking all the circumstances into consideration the year must be considered a prosperous one.

The general health of the people was good. No sort of epidemic disease broke out, nor was there any case of imported plague. Karauli generally enjoys this immunity from epidemic diseases owing chiefly to its being situated at a distance from the Railway.

CHAPTER II.

During the year under report His Highness the Maharaja was married to the daughter of the Chief of Banera in Udaipur Territory.

NOTABLE
EVENTS.

The most notable event of the year was the investiture of His Highness the Maharaja with the Insignia of a Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Indian Empire, in the month of December 1898. Mr. Martindale, Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana came here and invested His Highness with the Order in a Public Durbar in the Palace.

CHAPTER III.

LAND SETTLEMENT.

The operations for the year under report are the following :—

The Survey operations of the Machilpur Tahsil having been completed, Mandrail Tahsil was taken up and twenty-four villages of the latter have been surveyed and mapped. The number of surveyors that were employed to carry on the work was five in all—672,682 bighas have been surveyed as against 522,398 of the previous year. The following is the detail of expenditure incurred upto date :—

			Rs.	as.	p.
Khalsa villages	...	...	17,491	14	3
Bapotidars	...	...	7,583	5	3
Total	...	...	25,075	3	6

CHAPTER IV.

SECTION I,
COUNCIL.

The Council is the highest Judicial Tribunal of appeals, revision and confirmation. It has no original jurisdiction. The following table shows the number of appeals disposed of by the Council during the year under report :—

Year.	APPEALS.							MISCELLANEOUS.			FOREIGN.			
	TOTAL NUMBER OF APPEALS LAID.			NUMBER OF APPEALS DISPOSED OF.				Pending at the commencement of the year.	Laid during the year.	Total.	Number disposed of.	Pending at the commencement of the year.	Laid during the year.	Total.
	Pending at the commencement of the year.	Laid during the year.	Total.	Dismissed.	Modified.	Confirmed.	Total.	Pending.						
1893-94	6	23	29	5	3	19	27	2	...	147	117	117	190	180
													187	3

SECTION II,
CRIMINAL
COURT.

OFFENCES :—The number of offences reported during the year under review was 811 as against 949 of the previous year—288 convictions were obtained and the rest were either dismissed for want of evidence or the persons charged were not apprehended.

Persons were fined in 223 cases as against 179 of the previous year. The aggregate amount of fines imposed was Rs. 6,687-2-3.

There were five cases of whipping. In one case the sentence awarded was two dozen stripes, in three cases a dozen stripes, and in one case half-a-dozen stripes.

SECTION III,
THAGI AND
DACOTTY.

No case of any importance was reported during the year.

469 suits were instituted during the year as against 389 of the previous year. There were 92 suits pending at the commencement of the year making thus 561 in all. SECTION IV, CIVIL COURT.

NATURE OF SUITS :—550 were for moveable property or money and 11 for immoveable property.

VALUE OF SUITS :—The total value of suits instituted during the year was Rs. 19,037-3-3. In most of the suits the value did not exceed Rs. 50, in 18 it did not exceed Rs. 500, and in 8 the value was Rs. 1,000, and in two only the value was Rs. 5,000.

ARBITRATION :—Of 476 suits, that were disposed of during the year, six only were decided by arbitration.

AVERAGE DURATION :—Average duration of each suit taking into account only the working days of the court was 51 days as against 103 days of the previous year.

Of 476 suits disposed of by the Civil Court, 34 were compromised, 415 were decreed and 27 were dismissed.

CHAPTER V.

His Highness the Maharaja having found the work of this department, too heavy, a Sub-Deputy Collector in the person of Zia-ud-din Khan was appointed during the year under report. SECTION I, REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

The system of collecting revenue directly from the *ryots* obtains in this state. The income of the state from this source for the Sambat year 1955 was Rs. 2,70,273 as against Rs. 3,14,821 of the previous year, thereby showing a decrease of nearly Rs. 40,000. The causes of this falling off in the land revenue of the year, are the following :—(1) The restoration of the jagheer of the late Maharani Hadijee to the newly married Maharani Sisodinijee. (2) No collection was made during the year under the head of arrears of land revenue.

In Sambat 1954 the suspended land revenue pertaining to the year 1953, which was a year of a cute scarcity was recovered, and hence the revenue collection for the Sambat year 1954, showed an amount of elasticity which could hardly be maintained in the year 1955.

The following table shows the rent and other suits disposed of by the Revenue Officer :—

Nature of Suits.	No. of suits instituted during the year			No. of suits disposed of during the year.			No. of suits pending at the close of the year.		
	Pending at the commencement of the year.	New Suits instituted.	Total.	Pending.	New Suits.	Total.	Pending.	New Suits.	Total.
Rent Suits	74	1208	1282	64	1164	1198	10	74	84
Settlement Suits	37	73	110	8	64	72	29	9	38
Tahsils	38	599	637	27	560	587	11	39	50
Appeals	...	4	4	...	4	4	...	...	...
Total	149	1884	2033	99	1762	1861	50	122	172

SECTION II, The following is the land revenue of the different parganas of this state for the
TEHSILS. Sambat year 1955 :—

				Rs.	a.	p.
Kurgaon or Huzur Tehsil	...	...	...	89,578	4	0
Jerota Tehsil	...	...	...	43,508	9	6
Machilpur Tehsil	...	...	...	57,999	4	3
Mandrail Tehsil	...	...	...	49,947	10	0
Utgir Tehsil	...	...	...	29,240	0	9
Total				2,70,273	12	6

SECTION III, The licenses of the distilleries are annually put up to auction. The income
EXCISE. from this source was Rs 1,776-3-0 as against Rs. 2,162-8-3 of the previous year.
The aggregate income from the sale of hemp drugs, &c., amounted to Rs. 1,300 in
Sambat 1955.

SECTION IV, No changes were made in the tariff during the year under review. The gross
CUSTOMS. revenue from this source for the year amounted to Rs. 89,330-10-9 as against
Rs. 73,205-8-9 of the previous year.

SECTION V, There is on forest property so-called in Karauli. This department is mainly
FOREST. concerned with the state grass-preserves. The income of grazing dues amounted
to Rs. 8,137-9-6.

CHAPTER VI.

JAIL.

Gobind Singh was found incapable of carrying on the duties of the Jail in addition to his own work. So he was relieved of the Jail duty and Moulvi Abdul Karim a near relative of Sikandar Khan, the Adalati, was appointed jailor, during the year under report.

JAIL POPULATION.—There were 73 convicts at the close of the year of whom 11 were under-trial prisoners.

The daily average strength of prisoners was 90.44.

There were 134 prisoners at the commencement of the year and 103 new prisoners and 2 lunatics were at various times admitted into the Jail during the year. One convict died during the year and 164 prisoners were released as shown below :—

On expiry of Sentence	...	154
On birthday by order of the Durbar	...	10

Of the prisoners released there were 149 men and 15 women. There were no juvenile prisoners during the year under report.

The income of the Jail from Jail manufactures was Rs. 1,074-5-0 for the Sambat year 1955.

CIVIL PRISONERS :—There were none at the commencement of the year. Eight were admitted during the year but all were released by the close of the year.

CHAPTER VII.

The number of "in" and "out" door patients treated in all the four dispensaries of this State was 25,664 as against 25,470 of the previous year.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

IN-DOOR PATIENTS :—There were five at the commencement of the year and 77 new admissions were made during the year. Of these 60 were cured, one was relieved, 8 died and 6 were discharged.

SADR DISPENSARY.

OUT DOOR PATIENTS :—The total number was 11,822.

CLASSES :—Of the in-patients, there were four Mussulmans, 24 Hindus and 49 other castes. As regards out-patients there were 2 Eurasians, 2690 Mussulmans, 5524 Hindus and 2606 other castes.

SEXES :—Among the in-patients there were 56 males, 16 females and 5 children. Of the out-patients there were 4220 males, 2573 females and 5015 children.

SURGICAL OPERATIONS :—Total number of surgical operations performed was 1045.

Second Class Hospital Assistant Thomas Romare holds charge of this Dispensary.

Total number of "in" and "out" door patients treated in the Machilpur Dispensary was 4785. Surgical operations performed were 65. Mangli Pershad Third Class Hospital Assistant holds charge of this Dispensary.

MUFUSSIL DISPENSARIES.

The number of patients treated in the Mandrail Dispensary was 4755, Surgical operations performed were 514. Third Class Hospital Assistant Awaz Ali holds charge of this Dispensary.

4165 persons attended the Sapotra Dispensary. Surgical operations performed were 262. Third Class Hospital Assistant Dost Mohamed holds charge of this Institution.

The expenditure incurred in maintaining these institutions amounted to Rs. 4,251-8-10.

The following return shows the working of vaccination in the State of Karauli :—

No. of Vaccinations.	RESULT.										COST.														
	Total Number of Vaccinations.			AGE.			Unsuccessful.	Revaccination.		Salaries.		Travelling allowance.		Contingent.		Total.									
				Successful.																					
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Below one year.	Above one year.	Above six years.		Successful.	Unsuccessful.									Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.
Total.	1921	1164	3085	1463	1170	69	353	26	4	156	...	26	1½	...	7½	182	9								

CHAPTER VIII.

The principal source of income of the Municipality of Karauli is the Octroi duty levied on cereals. The income from this and all other sources amounted to Rs. 9,016-14-9 and expenditure Rs. 7,341-11-6.

MUNICIPALITY. There is a Female Dispensary in connection with the Municipality. After having been closed for more than a year this institution was re-opened on 1st February 1899 and was put in charge of Mrs. E. Bose a Female Medical Practitioner. She has been only two months in charge and it is too early yet to pronounce any decided opinion as to her capabilities.

VITAL STATISTICS :—The total number of births registered during the year was 616. Of this number 291 were males and 325 females. The ratio of births per thousand of population was 26.65.

The number of deaths registered during the year was 515. Of this number there were 247 males and 268 females. The ratio of deaths per mille of population was 22.28.

CHAPTER IX.

During the year under report two boys were sent up for the Matriculation Examination of the Allahabad University, of whom one passed creditably, and was placed in the Second Division. Among the Hindi and Sanskrit students, eight were sent up for different public examinations, of whom five passed.

PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

* At present there are over three hundred boys in the Sadr School. The following table shows the annual average attendance of boys :—

NAMES OF DEPARTMENTS.	PRESENT.	ABSENT.	LEAVE.	SICK.
English	37'180	8'782	2'874	3'880
Persian	47'498	14'750	3'070	11'004
Sanskrit and Hindi	126'020	43'041	63'221	3'144
Patwari	8'869	3'674	1'727	275
Total	219'567	70'247	70'892	18'303

CHAPTER X.

5595 Court Fee Stamps of the aggregate value of Rs. 1,398-12-0 were sold during the year as against 4969 of the previous year, and 5016 papers of general stamps, added a sum of Rs. 3,738-3-0 to the income of the state.

STAMP.

The aggregate of income under this head came up to be Rs. 5,136-15-0 as against Rs. 5,447-8-0 of the previous year.

CHAPTER XI.

The amount of expenditure on Public Works for the Sambat year 1955 aggregated to Rs 9,601-6-9. The total amount is divided under the following heads :—

				Rs.	As.	P.
Road Metalling	...	...	...	3,702	15	0
Buildings	..	...	...	5,898	7	9
Total	...	...	...	9,601	6	9

CHAPTER XII.

The annexed statement shows the distribution of the Karauli forces :—

STATE FORCES.

Name of the State.	Population.	Estimated Income.	FORCES.										GUNS.		
			Artillery men	REGULARS.						IRREGULARS.			Grand Total.	Number used.	Number out of use.
				State Forces.			Imperial & Private Forces								
				Horse.	Foot.	Total.	Horse.	Foot.	Total.	Horse.	Foot.	Total.			
Karauli	1,56,786	Rn. 521890-2-0	32	92	310	432	"	"	"	174	1433	1609	2073	35	21
															56

CHAPTER XIII.

In the annexed statement is shown the prescribed account of the income and expenditure of the State for the Sambat year 1955.

FINANCES AND REVENUE.

The aggregate actual receipts from twenty-one sources of revenue amounted to Rs. 5,21,890-2-9, while in the budget it was estimated that the entire amount would come up to Rs. 4,47,353, thereby showing favourable receipts of nearly three-quarters of a *lakh* over and above what was estimated for.

Besides the actual receipts a loan of Rs. 55,000 was taken from Seth Mulchand of Ajmer in order to meet the extra ordinary expenses, consequent on the marriage of His Highness the Maharaja with the daughter of the chief of Banera. This item together with a few small outstandings of the previous year brought up the sum total under the head of receipts for the Sambat year to be Rs. 5,90,380-1-3.

Now looking to the debit side of the account, it is found that the actual expenditure amounted to Rs. 5,89,244-9-9 leaving only a nominal balance of Rs. 1,135-7-6 with which the outstanding charges of the previous year were met.

*Statement showing the accounts of realization under different heads
for the Sambat year 1955.*

No.	Items.	Budget Estimate.		Actuals.		Increase.		Decrease.	
		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
1	Land Revenue ...	2,90,000	0 0	2,70,273	12 6	0 0	0 0	19,726	3 6
2	Abwab ...	1,565	0 0	1,555	8 6	0 0	0 0	9	7 6
3	Khandi ...	23,822	0 0	23,173	6 0	0 0	0 0	648	10 0
4	Mudaimi ...	5,777	8 0	5,113	15 3	0 0	0 0	663	8 9
5	Diwani ...	502	8 0	302	8 0	0 0	0 0	200	0 0
6	Bat Dharti ...	4,000	0 0	4,911	8 0	911	8 0	0	0 0
7	Gardens ...	3,500	0 0	3,200	1 0	0 0	0 0	299	13 0
8	Customs ...	70,000	0 0	89,330	10 9	19,330	10 9	0	0 0
9	Bagarh ...	6,000	0 0	8,137	9 9	2,137	9 6	0	0 0
10	Excise ...	2,161	0 0	1,776	8 0	0 0	0 0	384	8 0
11	Hemp Drugs &c...	1,300	0 0	1,300	0 0	0 0	0 0	0	0 0
12	Slaughter House,	180	0 0	195	0 0	15	0 0	0	0 0
13	Mint ...	0	0 0	0	12 0	0	12 0	0	0 0
14	Courts of Justice...	9,000	0 0	14,465	0 3	5,465	0 3	0	0 0
15	House rents ...	750	0 0	931	7 9	181	7 9	0	0 0
16	Kaila Devi Fair...	8,000	0 0	6,398	5 3	0	0 0	1,601	10 9
17	Impressing weights,	500	0 0	870	1 0	370	1 0	0	0 0
18	Dhons ...	600	0 0	1,428	8 3	828	8 3	0	0 0
19	Deductions for ab- sences.	7,000	0 0	8,843	14 3	1,843	14 3	0	0 0
20	Miscellaneous ...	7,000	0 0	73,986	11 6	66,986	11 6	0	0 0
21	Compensation Salt	5,695	0 0	5,694	15 0	0	0 0	0	1 0
	TOTAL ...	4,47,353	0 0	5,21,890	2 9	98,071	3 3	23,534	0 6
	Extraordinary ...								
22	Loan from Seth...	0	0 0	55,000	0 0	55,000	0 0	0	0 0
23	Arrears of Sambat 1953.	7,000	0 0	2,814	6 6	2,347	0 0	0	0 0
24	Do. do. 1954.			6,533	4 0				
25	Closing balance of previous year.	0	0 0	4,142	4 0	4,142	4 0	0	0 0
26	GRAND TOTAL...	4,54,353	0 0	5,90,380	1 3	1,59,561	1 9	23,534	0 6

*Statement showing the amount of distribution under different heads
for the Sambat year 1955.*

No.	Items.	Budget Estimate.		Actuals.		Increase over the Budget Estimate.		Decrease from the Budget Estimate.	
		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
1	Kitchen & Wardrobe	18,500	0 0	21,007	8 6	2,507	8 6	0	0 0
2	Purchases	1,000	0 0	5,549	4 3	4,549	4 3	0	0 0
3	Tamolkhana	800	0 0	1,458	11 6	658	11 6	0	0 0
4	Inam	5,000	0 0	76,777	10 6	71,777	10 6	0	0 0
5	Teohar	5,925	0 0	6,383	6 6	458	6 6	0	0 0
6	Beohar	500	0 0	341	1 3	0	0 0	158	14 9
7	Mehmani	1,000	0 0	586	4 9	0	0 0	413	11 3
8	Hamrai	2,000	0 0	1,693	12 3	0	0 0	306	3 9
9	Relatives	27,600	0 0	28,030	7 6	430	7 6	0	0 0
10	State Forces	1,29,010	0 0	1,29,019	10 9	9	10 9	0	0 0
11	Council	18,213	0 0	18,213	0 0	0	0 0	0	0 0
12	Civil and Criminal Courts.	10,227	0 0	10,349	13 6	122	13 6	0	0 0
13	Revenue Court	11,419	0 0	11,186	3 9	0	0 0	232	12 3
14	Accounts Office	3,192	0 0	3,158	8 0	0	0 0	33	8 0
15	Treasury	1,456	0 0	1,545	1 6	89	1 6	0	0 0
16	Vakalat	4,075	0 0	4,229	4 9	154	4 9	0	0 0
17	Baid and Hakims	1,311	0 0	1,311	0 0	0	0 0	0	0 0
18	Pandits	3,235	0 0	3,218	7 0	0	0 0	16	9 0
19	Menials	20,992	0 0	21,096	11 3	104	11 3	0	0 0
20	Postal charges	190	0 0	316	4 0	126	4 0	0	0 0
21	Jail	4,749	0 0	5,349	13 6	600	13 6	0	0 0
22	Schools	3,948	0 0	3,456	3 0	0	0 0	491	13 0
23	Dispensaries	5,560	0 0	5,620	8 0	60	8 0	0	0 0
24	Customs	7,999	0 0	8,107	3 3	108	3 3	0	0 0
25	Jamadarkhana	5,358	0 0	12,508	4 9	7,150	4 9	0	0 0
26	Stables	27,704	0 0	28,133	4 6	429	4 6	0	0 0
27	Elephants	11,725	0 0	10,412	8 9	0	0 0	1,312	7 3
28	Camels	3,578	0 0	3,174	11 9	0	0 0	403	4 3
29	Rathkhana	4,137	0 0	5,042	11 6	905	11 6	0	0 0

*Statement showing the amount of distribution under different heads
for the Sambat year 1955.*

No.	Items.	Budget Estimate.		Actuals.		Increase over the Budget Estimate.		Decrease from the Budget Estimate.	
		Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
30	Sikargah ...	5,307	0 0	5,438	15 9	131	15 9	0	0 0
31	Commissariat ...	1,220	0 0	1,449	9 3	229	9 3	0	0 0
32	Bagarh ...	3,175	0 0	3,171	12 9	0	0 0	3	3 3
33	Gardens ...	10,186	0 0	9,778	9 3	0	0 0	409	6 9
34	Public Works ...	6,457	0 0	5,898	7 9	0	0 0	558	8 3
35	Road Metalling ...	3,540	0 0	3,702	15 0	162	15 0	0	0 0
36	Contingent Charges ...	1,600	0 0	2,096	1 3	496	1 3	0	0 0
37	Lighting of the palace ...	1,600	0 0	2,587	0 0	1,987	0 0	0	0 0
38	Travelling Allowance ...	3,000	0 0	2,053	15 0	0	0 0	946	1 0
39	Awaz Jamin ..	780	0 0	529	0 0	0	0 0	250	7 3
40	Forts and Castles ...	3,254	0 0	3,199	10 3	0	0 0	54	5 9
41	Charities ...	20,677	0 0	25,052	10 3	4,355	10 3	0	0 0
42	Neeta ...	300	0 0	302	1 3	0	0 0	197	14 9
43	Soldiers Uniform ...	1,000	0 0	350	5 6	0	0 0	649	10 6
44	Panchayat ...	500	0 0	320	3 0	0	0 0	179	13 0
45	Compensation Salt to Jagirdars ...	695	0 0	694	15 0	0	0 0	0	1 0
46	Pension ...	5,699	0 0	5,845	14 6	146	14 6	0	0 0
47	Miscellaneous ...	4,100	0 0	3,502	12 0	0	0 0	297	3 3
48	Incidental ...	5,000	0 0	74,750	14 6	69,750	14 6	0	0 0
49	Interest to Seth ..	4,000	0 0	5,268	3 6	1,268	3 6	0	0 0
50	Agency Charges ...	5,744	0 0	5,352	0 0	0	0 0	381	10 0
	TOTAL ...	4,28,497	0 0	5,59,244	9 0	1,68,043	2 0	7,597	8 3
	Extraordinary,								
	Outstanding Charges,	0	0 0	864	3 0	864	6 3	0	0 0
	Advances as per Shish Baki ...	25,854	0 0	271	4 0	0	0 0	25,582	11 6
	GRAND TOTAL ...	4,54,353	0 0	5,90,380	1 3	1,68,907	5 0	32,880	3 9

